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Michigan House of Representatives

RE: Opposition to House Bills 4526, 4527, 4528

Representatives,

I have served as the President of the Oakland County Association of Township Supervisors since 2016. On several occasions we submit letters in opposition to legislation that erodes local control. Simply put, we have local ordinances that work.

The undersigned are in <u>opposition</u> to House Bills 4526, 4527, 4528 as they eliminate local authority and community voice on aggregate mining operations and place the regulating authority with a state department – EGLE.

Please feel free to reach out to me should you have questions.

Sincerely

Chris Barnett

**Township Supervisor** 

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